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Dear Sir:

Favorable reconsideration of the above-identified patent application is respectfully requested in view of the amendments and comments below. The Commissioner is authorized to charge \$420.00 (fee for a two-month extension of time) to Deposit Account No. 50-1063 (Ref. No. ALBRP233US).